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DECISION

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This decision is in response to applicant's "Petition Under 37 CFR 1.181," filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on 29 August 2005.

As indicated in Decision On Petition Under 37 CFR 1.137(b) mailed 08 July 2005, complied with 35 U.S.C. §371(c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) on 26 January 2005.

The Notification of Acceptance (Form PCT/DO/EO/903) mailed 11 August 2005 is VACATED.

This application is being forwarded to the National Stage Processing Branch of the Office of PCT Operations for continued processing in accordance with this decision, including issuance of a corrected Notification of Acceptance (Form PCT/DO/EO/903) and filing receipt, indicating that the requirements under 35 U.S.C. §371(c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) were satisfied on 26 January 2005.

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